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SUBJ: EXTENSION OF VALIDITY OF DIPLOMATIC VISAS

REF : (A) STATE 113493, (B) PRAGUE 0898

1. DR. VANEK, CHIEF OF MFA'S CONSULAR DEPARTMENT, INVITED CONOFF ON JUNE 17 TO REPLY TO SEVERAL U.S. PROPOSALS FOR RECIPROCAL FACILIATION OF VISA ISSUANCE. HE GAVE CONOFF NOTE AGREEING TO ISSUE U.S. DIPLOMATS AND OFFICIALS MULTIPLE-ENTRY VISAS FOR DURATION OF ASSIGNMENT TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AS PROPOSED IN OUR NOTE OF MAY 18, 1977 (REFTEL B). AS AGREED, THE ISSUANCE OF EXTENDED VALIDITY VISAS WILL BEGIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK RESPONSE TO OUR NOTE, SO EFFECTIVE DATE WILL BE ON JUNE 27, 1977. COPIES OF CZECHOSLOVAK NOTE ARE BEING FORWARDED TO DEPARTMENT (EUR/EE AND VO). WE PRESUME DEPARTMENT WILL INFORM ALL OTHER POSTS OF CHANGE, ALTHOUGH ALMOST ALL CZECHOSLOVAK DIPLOMATS ASSIGNED TO U.S. APPLY FOR VISAS IN PRAGUE. WE ALSO
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PRESUME THAT DEPARTMENT WILL ISSUE VISAS FOR DURATION OF ASSIGNMENT TO CZECHOSLOVAK DIPLOMATS ALREADY IN U.S. WHEN THEIR PRESENT VISAS EXPIRE, AS CZECHOSLOVAK MFA INTENDS TO DO FOR US DIPLOMATS ALREADY IN PRAGUE.

2. VANEK ALSO HANDED NOTE TO CONOFFS AGREEING, WITH SOME MINOR CHANGES, TO SPEEDIER ISSUANCE OF VISAS TO DIPLOMATS AND OFFICIALS,

AS WE PROPOSED LAST YEAR, AND A NOTE DECLINING TO RECIPROCALLY
ABOLISH NIV FEES. DETAILS WILL FOLLOW IN SEPTELS.

3. VANEK SAID THAT PARTIAL AMNESTY TO CZECHOSLOVAK EMIGRES,
(PRAGUE 1026), WAS NOW BEING IMPLEMENTED. DETAILS WILL
ALSO FOLLOW SEPTEL.
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